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FOR SALE—Mrs. Lumpkin will sell her property on Third St. at a reasonable price. Apply to **S. W. PAULETT, Jr.**

REWARDS—I will pay \$25.00 to the person who will return the watch taken from my residence last Sunday night and ask for questions. The watch is a solid gold case, bears on the outside the initials D. T. E., and is valued as a family piece.
D. T. ELAM,
sep. 8—

FOR SALE—A good Columbia top heavy and two sets of buggy harness (single).
S. A. BONDURANT,
sep. 8—2.

LOST CERTIFICATE—W. A. Foreman, Certificate of Deposit No. 0065, dated April 9, 1905, for \$500.00, payable of \$50.00 per month, on demand, and is endorsed on back. Above party has applied for a duplicate certificate.
H. C. ST.
sep. 8—4.

PLANTERS' BANK OF FARMVILLE.
sep. 8—4.

FOR SALE—Twelve shares Star Warehouse and Storage Co's stock. Apply to **J. L. HART, Farmville.**

WANTED—Young men of energy and ability as salesmen and assistant managers in Dry Goods departments. Must have good experience in either good country, town or city stores. Must furnish reference as to character and ability. Write at once, enclosing references to **MILLER & KIDDER, Department Store, Richmond, Va.**
sep. 1—4.

For a month, I offer thoroughbred Rhode Island Reds, locally for \$1.00 each, choice fowls \$5.00 a trio. A wonderful chance, while you want at once.
J. H. C. WINDSON,
aug. 25—4.

Portraits drawn in style—like clothing or hats. Yesterday the Crayon was the portrait—Today the Sepia is The thing—and we make the finest Sepias in the country—The kind that's permanent.
H. H. HUNT,
Photographer.

Our Portraits are not the "Common Kind." If they were—we wouldn't pay good money for this printing to tell you so.
the Photographer.

FOR RENT—The commodious store house on Main street, now occupied by L. Kolm. Apply to G. M. Tolsonson.

For the leading perfumes, triple and quadruple extracts, Colgate's Violet Water, Murray and Lauman Florida Water, Florida Violet, Talcum Powder, Mergol's Talcum Powder, Roger and Gallet Violet Powder, Pears Soap, Roger and Gallet Violet Soap, 414 White Rose Glycerine Soap and all the leading toilet articles, go to **Anderson Drug Co., Farmville, Va.**

Try Blue Grass Condition Powders for horses and cattle, our own formula. We sell it and recommend it as one of the best powders on the market, more better, few as good. **Anderson Drug Co., Farmville, Va.**

Ladies, try our snow white shoe polish for all styles white shoes. Large bottle, 10c. **Anderson Drug Co., Farmville, Va.**

We push it, we recommend, we sell it. Sherwin-Williams ready mixed paint, the leading ready mixed paint on the market today. Why not use it? Take no substitute or just as goods. **Anderson Drug Co., Farmville, Va.**

Wanted—Every one young and old to deal with **Anderson Drug Co.** Competent clerks, polite attention, right prices. Mail orders receive prompt attention. **Anderson Drug Co., Farmville, Va.**

"Now good digestion waits on appetite and health on both."
If it doesn't, try **Burdock Blood Bitters.**

Good advice to women, if you want a beautiful complexion, clear skin, bright eyes, red lips, good health, take **Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea.** There is nothing like it. 35 cents. Tea or Tablets. **Winston Drug Co.**

Has Stood the Test of 75 Years.
The old, original, GROVER'S tasteless Chilli Tonic. You know what you are taking. It is iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No cure, No pay, 50c.

There is a saying that "every time a sheep bleats it loses a mouthful of hay." Every time a woman worries she loses a little of her attractiveness and takes on marks of age. If the members of the family are habitually late to remedy it, but don't worry about it. If you do you will grow older in the process. If your husband or children do things that do not please you, do not nag at them. This will only aggravate the evil you complain of, and it will cost you some of their love and respect. Every time you nag you will lose a little of your power to charm and attract them to you. If you lose your pocket-book don't worry about it. Worrying will not bring it back, but it will take out of your face and disposition that which money can never replace. If you meet with bitter disappointment, don't fret, don't cry over it. If you do you pay a penalty which you can ill afford. No woman can fret and nag and worry and keep away the marks of age—or retain her beauty and power to please.—Success.

Most men who go through life without an open quarrel with a wife think they are having things all their own way.

BRIEFS AND PERSONALS.

In Memoriam.

Mark Twain has had this little verse cut in the modest block of marble which marks the resting place of his wife in Woodlawn Cemetery, Elmira, New York.

Warm summer sun,
Shine kindly here,
Warm southern wind,
Blow softly here,
Green sod above,
Lie light, lie light,
Good night dear heart,
Good night, good night.

Miss Edith Berryman, of Norfolk, is with Mrs. R. G. Claiborne.

Mrs. T. A. Gray is entertaining Mrs. Crevier, of Richmond.

Miss Daisy Minor, of N. C., has entered the Normal school as a student.

Miss Lavettie Redd returned from a pleasant visit to Prospect, a few days ago.

Miss Em Redd, of Mehering, is spending a few days with Mrs. G. W. Redd.

Miss Mattie K. Amos left Wednesday for Roanoke where she will teach again.

Miss Janie Davidson, of Manchester, will visit Mrs. J. A. Davidson next week.

Prof. O. B. Sears spent a few pleasant days in the mountains of Giles county.

There were five conversions in Prof. D. B. Sears' meeting at Green Bay last week.

Next week Dr. R. M. Smith expects to depart for his new field of labor in Alabama.

Mrs. S. A. Hopkins, of Richmond, is visiting at the home of Mr. Vernon Gills.

Miss Bettie Oliver, of Crewe, is spending a few days with Miss Mattie Hubbard.

Mr. R. C. Chermant, a well known citizen of Farmville, is critically ill at his home on Main street.

Miss Lucy Fitzgerald, of Buckingham, is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. A. E. Crallie.

Mrs. Twitty and daughters, of Suffolk, will spend next week with Mrs. S. C. Redd.

Mrs. G. T. Vaughan, of Washington, is with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Venable.

Miss Hattie Paulett has returned from a pleasant visit to friends in North Carolina.

The present crop of tobacco is the earliest in the memory of the oldest citizens.

Miss Louise Berryman, of Norfolk, a graduate of the Normal School, is visiting friends here.

Miss Louise, the pretty little daughter of Hon. J. J. Owen, has enrolled as a student at the Normal school.

Miss Daniel, an accomplished young lady of Roanoke, is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. J. Owen.

Miss Hattie Dupuy, of Roanoke, who has been visiting Mrs. Emma Davis, has returned home.

Mr. Henry Anderson, of Richmond, spent Sunday with Dr. W. E. Anderson, his brother.

Miss Margie Crawley, of Prospect, who has been visiting at the home of Mr. W. M. Duval, has returned home.

How many know that Leigh's mountain is cut in twin by a gorge, through which flows a crystal stream?

Rev. R. A. McFarland attended an association near Concord, in Appomattox county, and reports a very enjoyable meeting.

Miss Elizabeth Field has returned from a visit with Miss Lida Hoge, of Giles county, a student at the Normal School last session.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Venable left Saturday returned from Blue Ridge Springs, accompanied by Miss Vera Vaughan.

The Sunday School room of the Baptist church has undergone thorough renovation and is now ready for use.

The rains of Friday night and early Saturday were akin to water spouts and did considerable damage in the way of gully-washing.

Miss Eva Minor, accompanied by her sister, has returned from North Carolina, and is preparing to take up her teaching of music.

There is a stove mill at Green Bay that employs 10 hands. There is sufficient timber in the vicinity to supply the mill for many years.

Misses Lillian and Flora Thompson, of Bluefield, W. Va., daughters of Rev. S. H. Thompson, have returned to the Normal School.

The old assembly hall of the Normal School is being converted into four large temporary recitation-rooms. Next year it will be replaced by a new building.

Miss Alice Paulett has been employed to teach a private school consisting of children of professors in Emory and Henry College, and will enter on her duties in a few days.

We announce the engagement of Miss Annie Laurie Kinzer, a former teacher in the Normal School, and Prof. Shawan, of Norfolk. The marriage will occur in October.

How many know that there are in Prince Edward county two real mountains besides Leigh's, viz. Goode's and Penick's, both in the southern part of the county?

Mr. E. C. Glass, of Lynchburg, has resigned as member of the board of our Normal School, and Mr. John M. Hart, of Roanoke, has been appointed by Governor Montague in his stead.

A representative of the Ward Lumber Co., Lynchburg, is making a tour of our Prince Edward forests of pine and white oak, for the purpose of purchasing a large quantity of timber. Our forests are attracting widespread attention.

A Herald reporter recently called at the lovely home of our untiring member of the House of Delegates, Hon. J. J. Owen, and found that gentleman busily engaged in plans for the enlargement and improvement of our Normal School. That institution has no truer friend than Mr. Owen.

Prof. Elmer E. Jones, who for several months has been studying at Leipzig, Germany, is returning to America, to

study at Columbia University, New York.

The Farmville Guard will be inspected by Col. Jo Lane Stearn on the 18th inst.

Miss Margaret V. Cox, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. A. Davidson, has returned to Manchester.

Mrs. H. W. Moss, of Olesko, is on a visit to friends in Orange and Culpeper. She will also go to Washington to see her brother.

Attention of our farmer friends is asked to the advertisement of the Star Warehouse, which will be open this season for the sale of tobacco.

Mr. Geo. E. Wilkes, representing the American Tobacco Company was in town Wednesday selling cigarettes, and incidentally distributing many very pretty pictures. He presented us with a series of flag girls artistically representing each nation and well worth careful preservation, being among the costliest advertising pictures we have ever seen.

"Human Hearts," a beautiful melodrama, was presented to a small audience last Friday night in the Opera House. The company was capable and much above the average which can afford to offer their services to the theatre-goers of Farmville. So delighted were all who witnessed the performance Friday night, that a packed house would be the company's greeting should it ever return.

Gossip is a mean thing. It is a humming bird with eagle wings and voice of a fog horn. It can be heard from Dan to doomsday, and has caused more trouble than all the bedbugs, fleas, mosquitoes, coyotes, grasshoppers, snakes, cyclones, earthquakes, tornadoes, smallpox, yellow fever, and indigestion that this great United States has ever known or will ever know when the universe shuts up shop and begins the final invoice.

In other words, it has war and hell both backed up in the corner yelling for ice water.—Exchange.

A Beautiful Home.

One day last week a Herald reporter had the pleasure of calling at the beautiful country home of Treasurer W. H. Ewing. His venerable mother, cultured wife and three charming daughters entertained him graciously with music and stories, while Miss Betty, a scholarly teacher in the Randolph-Macon Institute, at Danville, a guest at the Ewing home, added to his pleasure. Rarely, if ever, has the reporter seen a country home more beautiful for situation or more charming for its inmates.

German Danced.

A german was given Friday night at the Armory led by Mr. W. B. Agnew with Miss Kate Verser. The chorones were Dr. and Mrs. Crute and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Freeman. Among those dancing were: Misses Frankie McKinney, Robbie Berkeley, Maria Wells (Richmond), Alice Paulett, Annie H. Cunningham, John Gill (Huntsville, Ala.), Manie Wade, Hattie Bugg, Carrie Kyle and Kate Verser. Messrs. A. W. Wade, W. B. Agnew, Dr. W. J. Gills, E. W. Wall, Eddie Wade, Dick Edmunds, Reed Edmunds, J. L. Bugg, Will Vaughan, Chapin Robeson, J. Taylor Thompson and V. P. Paulett.

Accidentally Shot.

A few days ago two colored boys living near the residence of Mr. R. H. Wilson, were playing with revolvers, when in some manner not yet ascertained, one of the weapons was discharged, tearing an ugly hole entirely through the body and lung of one of the boys. Dr. Terry was called and dressed the wound; and strange to say, the boy is now well on his way to recovery.

The Golden Chain.

Mrs. S. C. Redd announces the engagement of her daughter, Lavalette, to Mr. W. D. Hammet, of Cincinnati, Ohio. The marriage will take place in the early fall.

Tried to Rob Preacher.

Monday night an attempt was made at Prospect to rob the residence of Rev. P. M. Bell. The thief, a short, stocky negro, had entered his chamber and was in the act of rifling his pockets when Mr. Bell awoke and alarmed the thief, who escaped through the parlor window, carrying the pants with him. Mr. Bell fired two shots at him with a 38-caliber revolver, but owing to the darkness, missed him. It was about 12:30 a. m.

The pants contained only a cheap knife and a bunch of stable keys and were found Tuesday morning in Mr. Bell's pasture.

Mr. Bell expresses some surprise at the verandah of any burglar who could think a Methodist preacher had any money to steal.

Watch Stolen.

At 3 o'clock last Sunday morning, Mr. Douglas Elam happened to awake and saw a negro about 5 feet, 6 inches high standing at the bureau. Mr. Elam saw him take his gold watch, worth \$15.00, which had belonged to his father. Mr. Elam called for Mr. Gill, and the negro ran, making his exit by the same window through which he had entered by cutting the slats of the shutters.

Mr. Elam's pocket book containing \$25.00, lying two feet away, was concealed by a piece of paper and was not taken. Mr. Elam offers a reward of \$25.00 for the return of the watch, and says no questions will be asked. It contained his initials, "D. T. E."

Died.

We hear with deep regret the death of Mr. William Garnett formerly of this county. He has been in Washington for a number of years and for the past few years has been practically an invalid from the effect of railroad accidents. He had many friends in his old neighborhood who will sympathize with his family in their bereavement.

Kicked by His Horse.

Mr. T. W. Vaughan was kicked and painfully hurt by his fine horse Monday. The animal was frightened and while being led out of his stall by yellow jackets, a nest of which being under the trough. Mr. Vaughan received the kick on his right arm, and was fortunate in not having any bones broken.

Council's Annual Meeting.

The town council met last Friday night for the purpose of hearing annual reports and electing officers for the ensuing year.

The Mayor made no change in the committees, a list of which may be found on the first page of the Herald, and the council re-elected all the old officers with the exception of Captain Gilliam, the policeman, who presented no application for re-election. In Capt. Gilliam's place Mr. Edward D. Lipscomb was chosen by acclamation as were all the other officers.

All the members of the council were present in the meeting with the exception of Mr. W. P. Gilliam, who was kept away by sickness. Following is the list of officers elected: Sergeant, R. D. Miller; Clerk, J. E. Garland; Commissioner of the Revenue, P. H. C. Rice; Treasurer, S. W. Paulett, Jr.; Street Commissioner, J. S. Hart; First Policeman, Leslie Fugus; Second Policeman, E. D. Lipscomb; President Council, H. E. Barrow; Town Attorney, A. D. Watkins; Electrician, H. K. Bullock; Chief of Fire Department, G. M. Robeson; Assistant Chief Fire Department, Leslie Fugus.

Mr. H. E. Wall, chairman of the Finance Committee, read the reports of the Sergeant and Treasurer, both of which were accepted and ordered of record. The Sergeant's report was as follows:

Annual report of all taxes, licenses, &c., collected for the year beginning September 1st, 1904, and ending August 31st, 1905.

Real estate	\$1,241.11
Personal estate	2,279.94
Roads	4,239.76
Poor	347.74
Capitation	99.50
Penalties	128.34
Licenses	4,092.92
By electric light	91.80
By Herald office rent	96.73
By burial lots	31.40
By fines	321.00
By dog tax	120.00
Opera house	124.13
Interest	89.06
By rent of lot	26.00
By jail fees	1.00
Street dirt	17.25
Total	\$13,024.06

Respectfully submitted,
Sept. 1st, 1905. **R. D. MILLER,**
Town Sergeant.

Treasurer's Annual report for the year ending September 1, 1905.

Amount received from Sergeant as follows:

Real estate	\$1,241.11
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Poor	347.74
Capitation	99.50
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Licenses	4,092.92
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Opera house	124.13
Interest	89.06
By rent of lot	26.00
By jail fees	1.00
Street dirt	17.25
Total	\$13,024.06

Received from electric light bonds \$1,000.00
Disbursed \$750.00
Received on loan account \$1.00
Received for car under warrant \$1.00
Received for lost \$5.00
Amount of balance brought over from last year \$108.84
Total \$13,024.06

DISBURSEMENTS.
To salary account paid \$2,913.36
To poor \$20.35
To electric light acct paid \$1,000.00
To Opera House \$17.13
To Cemetery \$21.00
To water \$25.00
To street \$2,132.84
To interest \$89.06
To finance \$4,092.92
To armory \$680.80
To balance \$6,885.89
Total \$13,024.06

By balance \$6,885.89
Respectfully submitted,
Sept. 1st, 1905. **S. W. PAULETT, JR.,**
Treasurer.

To HON. W. T. BLANTON, Mayor:

I hereby submit to you a report of work done in Police Court for year ending Sept. 1st, 1905.

Number of arrests made during year	112
Fined	10
Sent to jail	10
Sent on to Grand Jury	10
Dismissed	6
Vagrants arrested and ordered out of town by Sheriff	25
Amount of fines collected	\$324.00
Amount of fines collected for State	5.00
Amount properly recovered by police and returned to the amount of \$130.00	
Respectfully submitted,	

Report of Mr. H. E. Wall, Chairman Finance Committee September 1, 1905.

On September 1st, 1905, the town of Farmville was due the banks three notes amounting to \$2,500.00. Also due for electric light loan chimney (for S. B. D.) \$75.00
Credit by bal. Sept. 1st, 1904 \$108.84
Net Indebtedness of Town Sept. 1st, 1905 \$2,566.16

All the above notes have been paid in full, and all other running expenses, and all interest, have been paid in full. And the town now has to its credit in the bank on September 1st, 1905, \$6,885.89.

Respectfully submitted,
H. E. WALL,
Chairman Finance Committee.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. **E. J. CHENEY & CO., Props.**

We the undersigned, have known E. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him. **TOLEDO, O.**
WEST & TRUAY, Wholesale Druggists,
TOLEDO, O.
O. WALDING, KINMAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Testimonials free.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Railroad Sued.

Not long ago a lady from Connecticut, who had just recovered from an attack of pneumonia, alighted from a night train on the Southern Railway, at Green Bay. There being no hotel there, and the station not being open, as is required by law, the lady searched for a place to stay, until she had contracted a relapse of pneumonia. Two weeks later she died. Attorney Mitchell, representing the people, brought action against the railroad, demanding that the Company comply with the law and open the station for night trains. Attorney Wing is defending the Company. The case is now in the hands of Circuit Judge Hundley.

Author Preaches Here.

Rev. R. V. Lancaster, of Abingdon, Va., author of the original and widely known book, "The Creed of Christ," preached at the Presbyterian church last Sunday. This gentleman is a nephew of Mrs. M. Tallaferro.

At the annual meeting of the Board of Trustees of the State Female Normal School, June 7, 1905, it was ordered that each student should pay a registration fee of \$5.00 annually, payable in advance for incidental expenses.

No student will be enrolled in any class until this fee has been paid to the Steward of the school.
sept. 1—25a.

Noble Colored Woman Dead.

Died, at the home of her daughter, at Hampden-Sidney on September 2nd, Aunt Matilda Evans, respected and loved by all who knew her. She was possibly the oldest woman in Prince Edward county, being somewhat over ninety five. She was born in Campbell county but was brought to this county by Dr. Sampson in whose family she was a trusted servant nursing his children; now Dr. Thornton Sampson, Mr. John Sampson, of Pantops, Mrs. Alice Baskerville, of Clifton Forge, and Mrs. Mary Dupuy, of North Carolina. She loved them and was loved by them to the day of her death. She was the wife of Uncle Dennis Evans, whose memory is sacred to scores of the older preachers in the Presbyterian church. He was the janitor in the Seminary for many years and had the entire confidence of the community. This worthy couple had a large family of children who with their children and grandchildren have occupied positions of trust here and in many parts of the land. Their son John is the janitor of the College here, and holds a warm place in the affections of the professors and students. Their son, David, has charge of a store at this place, and he also does his work well. Uncle Dennis passed to his reward many years ago, and Aunt Matilda has since made her home with her daughter, Mrs. Kitty Bouldin, with the help of her sister, Mrs. Minerva Lucas and their children, has done all she could to make the declining years of the old saint comfortable and happy. For some time she has been infirm, but kept her faculties up to the hour of her death, which occurred without any warning. She simply went to sleep, after eating her breakfast, as we believe to wake in Heaven.

Her funeral was preached by her pastor from the text "Well done thou good and faithful servant—Enter thou into the joy of thy Lord," and was a just tribute to her worth and to the work she had done and the life well lived. The services were in Mercy Street church, but the interment was in the private burying ground at her old home, now owned by her son. A large number of friends followed her to her last resting place and turned away saddened by the feeling that they will never see her like again.

A Friend.

The Training School of the State Female Normal School will open on Wednesday, September 13th, at 8:30 a. m.

By order of the Board of Trustees a fee of \$5.00, payable \$2.50 a term in advance, is charged to every pupil entering the Training School. In the first and second grades this fee provides the pupil with all materials except books; in the intermediate and grammar grades the following material is supplied: drawing paper, colored crayons, water colors, rulers, erasers, dividers, drawing pencils, pen points, ink, thumb paper, and pictures for work in language and history.